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## TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) **CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371**

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U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If tenown, see 3 (7845)

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INTERNA BCT/ED	TIONAL APPLICATION NO.	November 27, 2003	January 10, 2003
TITLE OF INVENTION			
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US			
Kai VISEL & Achim KURZ-RITTER VON SPORSCHILL  Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:			
1. 🛛	This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.		
2. 🔲	This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.		
з. 🗌	This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.		
4. 🔲	The US has been elected (Article 31).		
5. 🛛	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)))		
	<ul> <li>a. is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).</li> </ul>		
	b. As been communicated by the International Bureau.		
	c. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office(RO/US)		
6. 🛛	An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).		
	<ol> <li>a. Significant is attached hereto.</li> </ol>		
	b. has been previously submitted un	der 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).	
7.	Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))		
	<ul> <li>a. are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).</li> </ul>		
ļ	b. have been communicated by the International Bureau.		
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١.	d. have not been made and will not		
8. 🗌	An English language translation of the an		Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
9). 🔲	An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (	35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).	
10.	An English language translation of the an Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).	nexes of the International Preliminary	y Examination Report under PC1
Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:			
11. 🛛	An Information Disclosure Statement unc	der 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.	
12.	An assignment document for recording.	A separate cover sheet in compliance	e with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
13. 🛛	A preliminary amendment.	•	
14. 🛭	An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFF	R 1.76.	
15.	A substitute specification.		
16.	A power of attorney and/or address lette	er.	
17.	A computer-readable form of the seque	nce listing in accordance with PCT Ru	ule 13 <i>ter.</i> 2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821 - 1.825.
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Application Transmittal Sheet (in duplicate)

Data Sheet

Form PCT/IB/308, PCT/IB/304, PCT/IB/301

English Translation of International Approaction, including 20 claims (pages 9 1 sheet of drawings showing Figs. 1-2

Preliminary Amendment

Substitute Specification and marked-up copy thereof

Information Disclosure Statement including International Search Report and PTO-1449 Form w/ non-US references

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